

House Resolution 602

By: Representative Kaiser of the 59th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Major James Sellers; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Major James Sellers has served with honor and distinction as a member of the
3 Atlanta Police Department and is an honest and dedicated public servant who strives for
4 excellence in all his endeavors and whose primary concern is the welfare and safety of the
5 citizens of Atlanta and Fulton County; and

6 WHEREAS, Major Sellers has held a number of positions with the Atlanta Police
7 Department, including a traffic enforcement officer, a member of the RED DOG drug
8 activity reduction unit, and a narcotics investigator; and

9 WHEREAS, during his tenure with the department, Major Sellers has supervised the auto
10 theft unit, the larceny and major fraud unit, the robbery unit, the homicide unit, and the office
11 of professional standards; and

12 WHEREAS, Major Sellers has received numerous accolades for his dedicated and effective
13 service, including Supervisor of the Year in 2001 and the Crime Reduction Award in 2007;
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15 WHEREAS, he represented the Atlanta Police Department on the Stop Identity Theft
16 Network, which was formed to increase public awareness of identity theft, recommend
17 victim sensitive changes to identity frauds laws, and improve state-wide reporting methods;
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19 WHEREAS, Major Sellers is highly regarded by the citizens of his community and by state
20 and local government officials as a person of unquestioned integrity and dedication to the
21 administration of justice and sound principles of law enforcement; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the members of this body show their
23 gratitude for the unique and often unheralded contributions of Major Sellers and all local law
24 enforcement officers on behalf of the citizens of this state.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
26 the members of this body commend the care, courage, and selfless dedication exhibited by
27 Major James Sellers in carrying out the difficult duties of his vocation for so many years and
28 extend to him their utmost appreciation for having so purely and truly defined for others the
29 meaning of public servant.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Major James Sellers.